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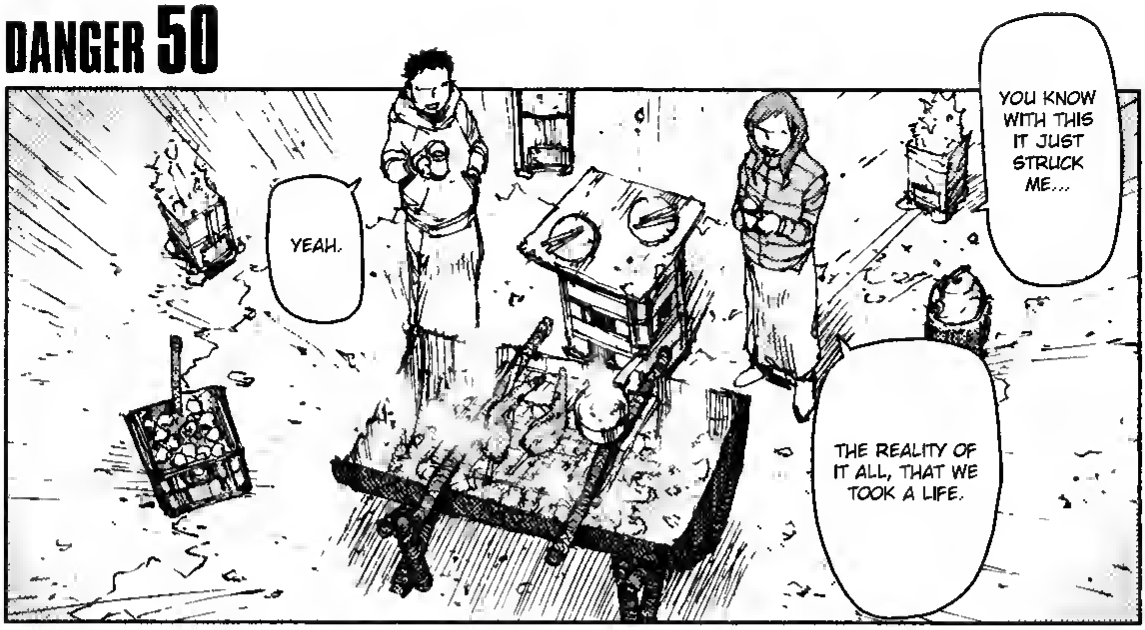
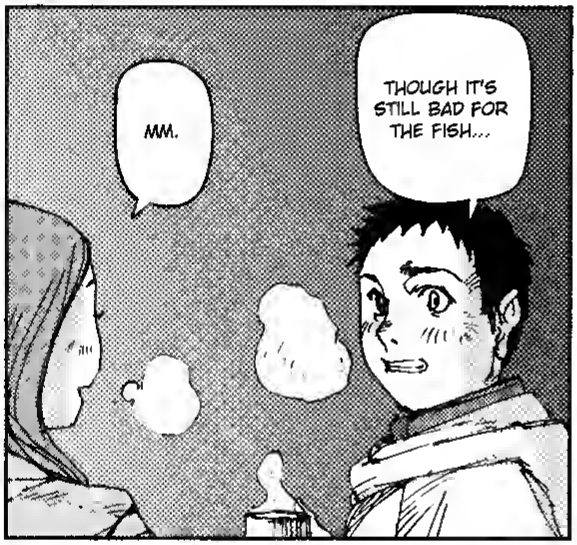
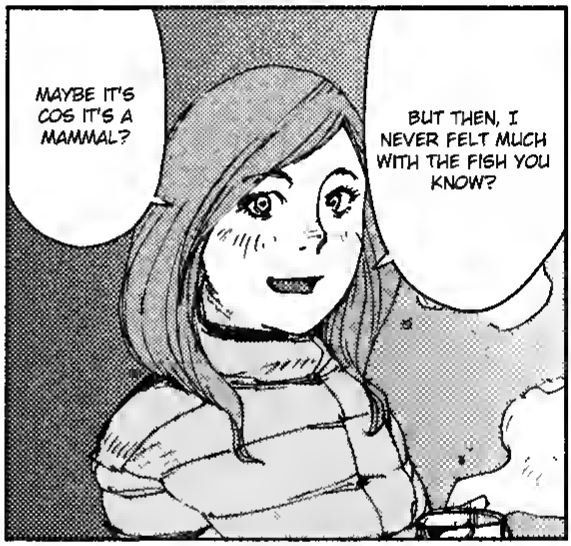
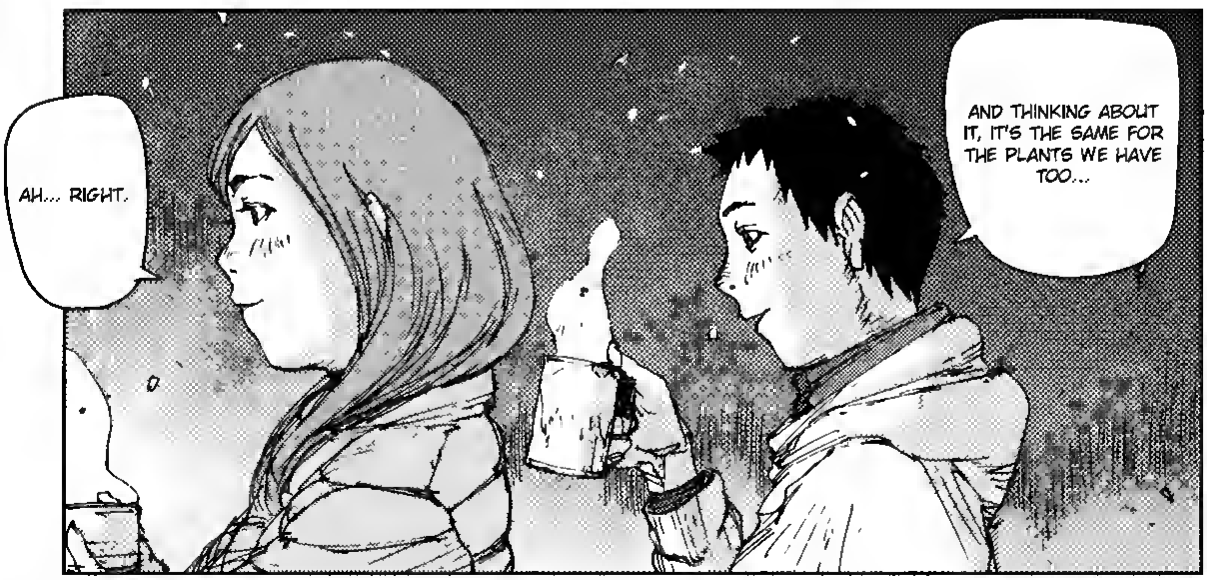
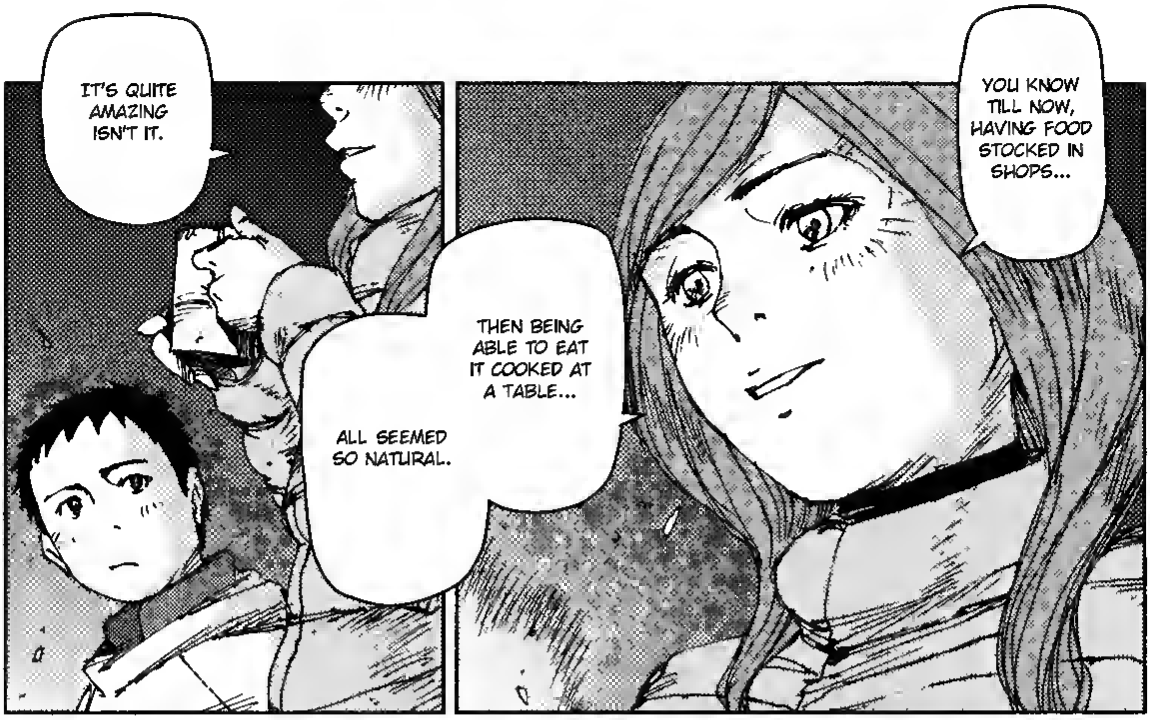
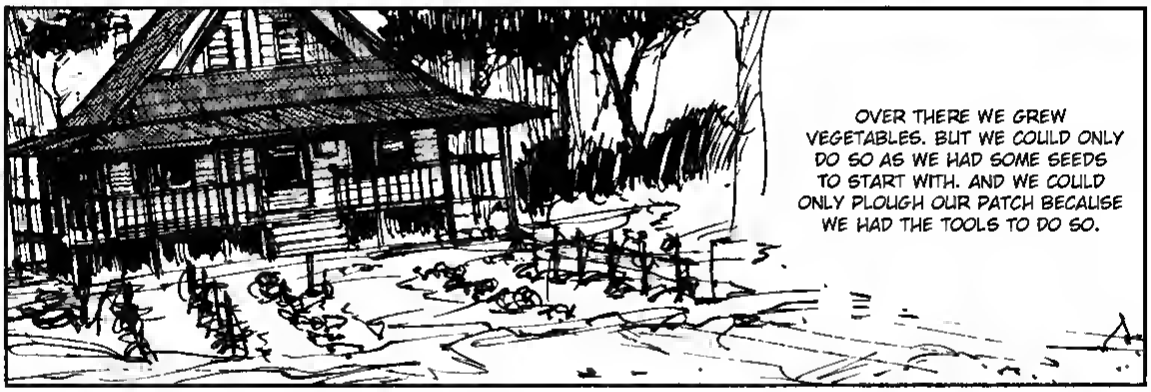

YEAH.
YOU KNOW WITH THIS IT JUST STRUCK ME...
THE REALITY OF IT ALL, THAT WE TOOK A LIFE.

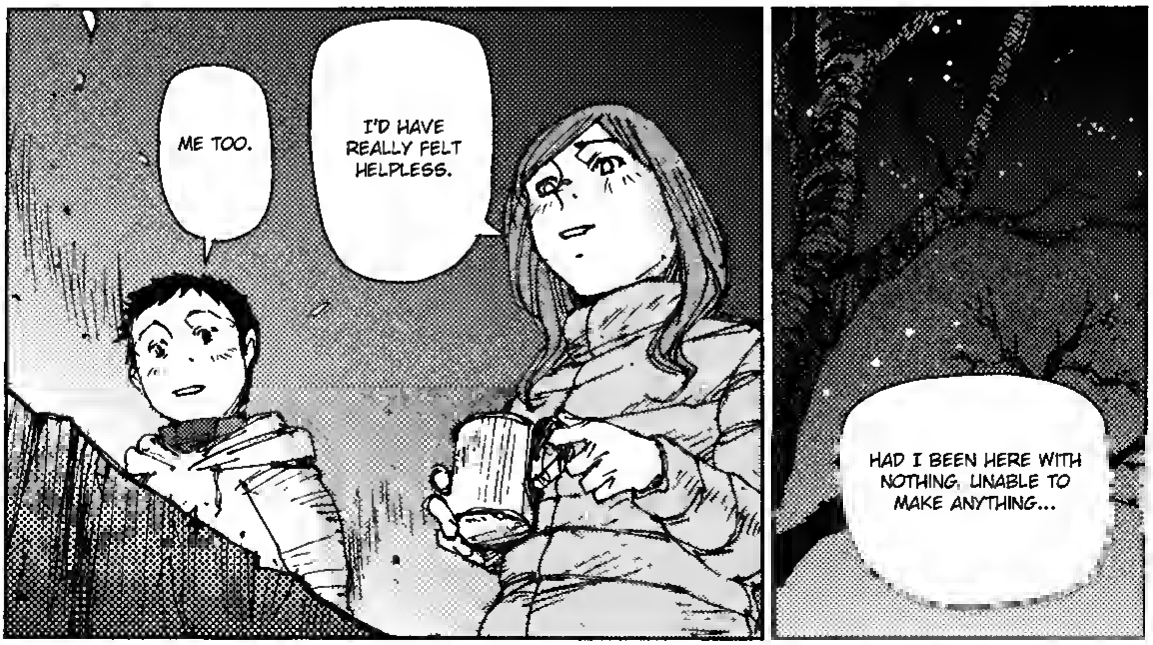

MM.
THOUGH IT'S STILL BAD FOR THE FISH...


MAYBE IT'S COS IT'S A MAMMAL?
BUT THEN, I NEVER FELT MUCH WITH THE FISH YOU KNOW?


AH... RIGHT.
AND THINKING ABOUT IT, IT'S THE SAME FOR THE PLANTS WE HAVE TOO...


IT'S QUITE AMAZING ISN'T IT.
ALL SEEMED SO NATURAL.
THEN BEING ABLE TO EAT IT COOKED AT A TABLE...
YOU KNOW TILL NOW, HAVING FOOD STOCKED IN SHOPS...


OVER THERE WE GREW VEGETABLES. BUT WE COULD ONLY DO SO AS WE HAD SOME SEEDS TO START WITH. AND WE COULD ONLY PLOUGH OUR PATCH BECAUSE WE HAD THE TOOLS TO DO SO.


ME TOO.
I'D HAVE REALLY FELT HELPLESS.
HAD I BEEN HERE WITH NOTHING, UNABLE TO MAKE ANYTHING...

LET'S EAT.
LET'S EAT.
RECKON IT'S GOOD TO GO?
YEAH.
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THE JUICES ARE BURSTING WITH FLAVOUR!
IT'S GREAT!
WELL?
MMMM.

HA-HAHA!
HAHAHA!
OOH! TRUE ENOUGH!
THOUGH IF WE WAIT TOO LONG WON'T A MONSTER'S HEAD POP FROM INSIDE?
THANKS SATORU-KUN.
GOOD TO HEAR.
THANKS AS ALWAYS.
ALRIGHT, IMMA GO WASH MY PLATE.
UUH... I FEEL BLOATED.
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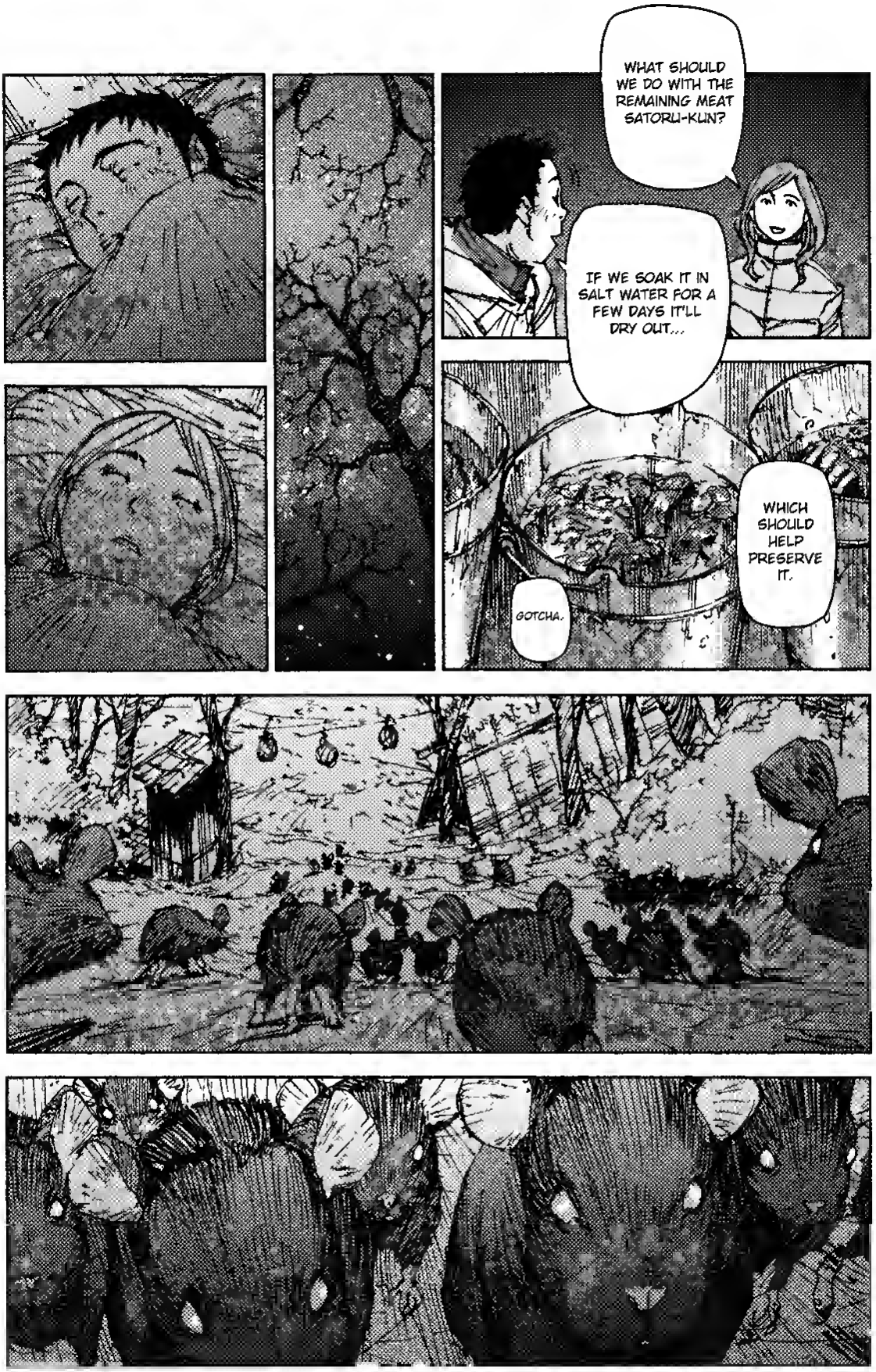
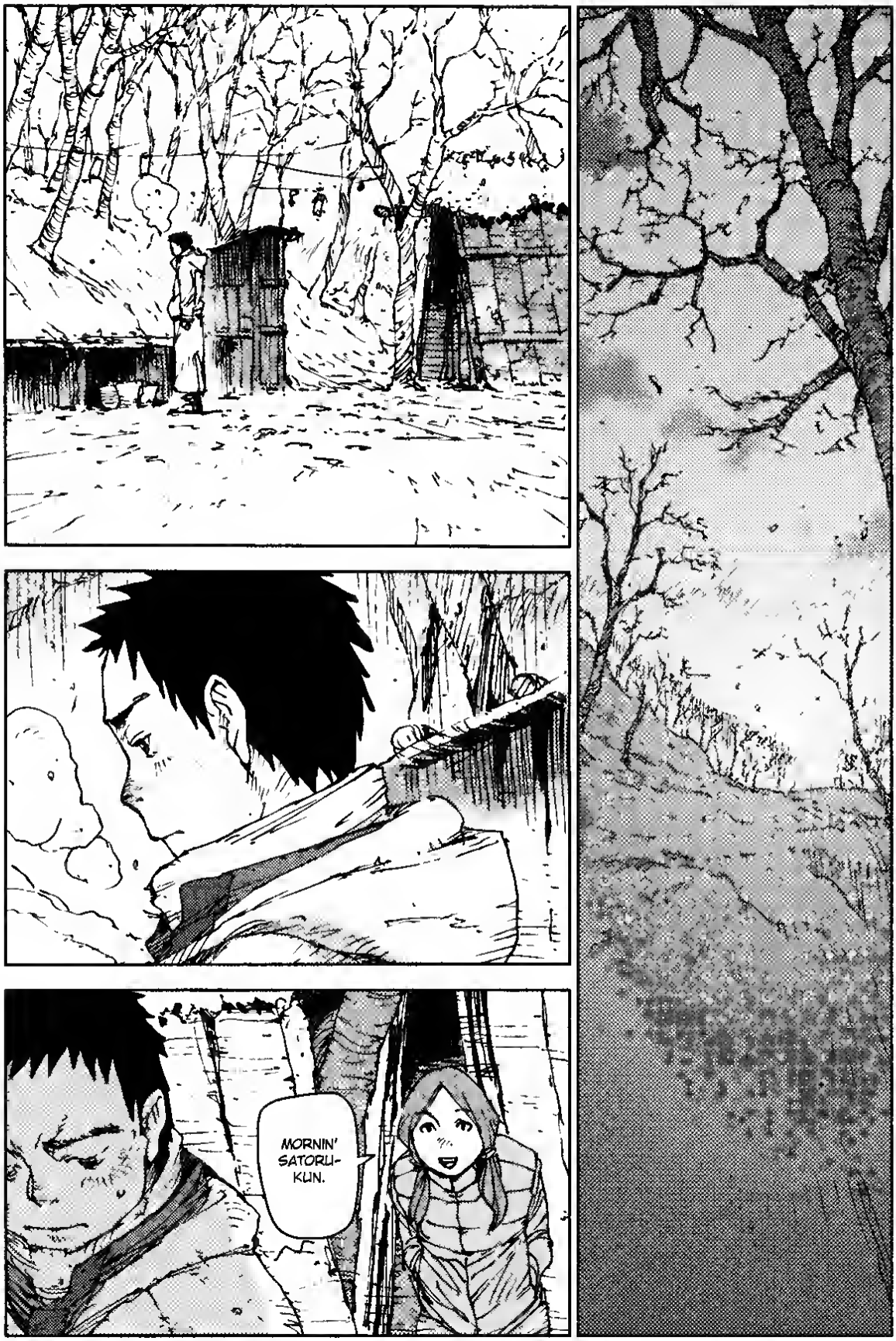

WHAT SHOULD WE DO WITH THE REMAINING MEAT SATORU-KUN?
IF WE SOAK IT IN SALT WATER FOR A FEW DAYS IT'LL DRY OUT...
WHICH SHOULD HELP PRESERVE IT.
GOTCHA.


MORNIN' SATORU-KUN.

...?
GOOD MORNING AKIKO-SAN.
WHAT? IS SOMETHING WRONG?
YEAH...
EH? HOW COME?
OH, IT HAS...
HEH?
THE MEAT...
THE MEAT I LEFT TO SOAK HAS GONE...

RATS?
YEAH...
NO DOUBT ABOUT IT.
IT WAS RATS.
COULD HE HAVE EATEN IT WHILE HALF ASLEEP?
WELL IT WASN'T ME.
I WAS ALWAYS GRATEFUL THAT THEY HELPED CLEAR UP LEFTOVERS AND WASTE...
AH RIGHT...
SHIT... HOW THE HELL DID THEY POP UP AGAIN HERE.
I'D JUST LEAVE IT HEREABOUTS, AND THE CUTE LIL' RATS WOULD EAT IT ALL UP.
I NEVER TOOK ANY LEFTOVER FOOD AWAY FROM HERE.
EH? NO, WELL...
WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY?!
HEH...?

AKIKO-SAN?!
HOW THE HELL COULD YOU DO THAT?!
KYAH.
C...
C...
CUTE LIL' RATS...?
SATORU-KUN?
UGH...
UH...
HOW COULD YOU...

ARE YOU SHOCKED, WHAT'S THIS ABOUT?
WHY ARE YOU SHOUTING ALL OF A SUDDEN?
BUT I NEVER THOUGHT YOU'D INVITE THEM HERE...
I'D BEEN HAVING A NASTY FEELING ABOUT THE SMALL GLIMPSES I'D CATCH WHEN AROUND HERE.
HAVEN'T YOU BEEN GATHERING THE RATS HERE?!
WHAT ELSE CAN I DO?!
IF THEY INCREASE IN NUMBER THEY'LL BRING DISASTER HERE!
HAAH?! WHAT WAS THAT?!
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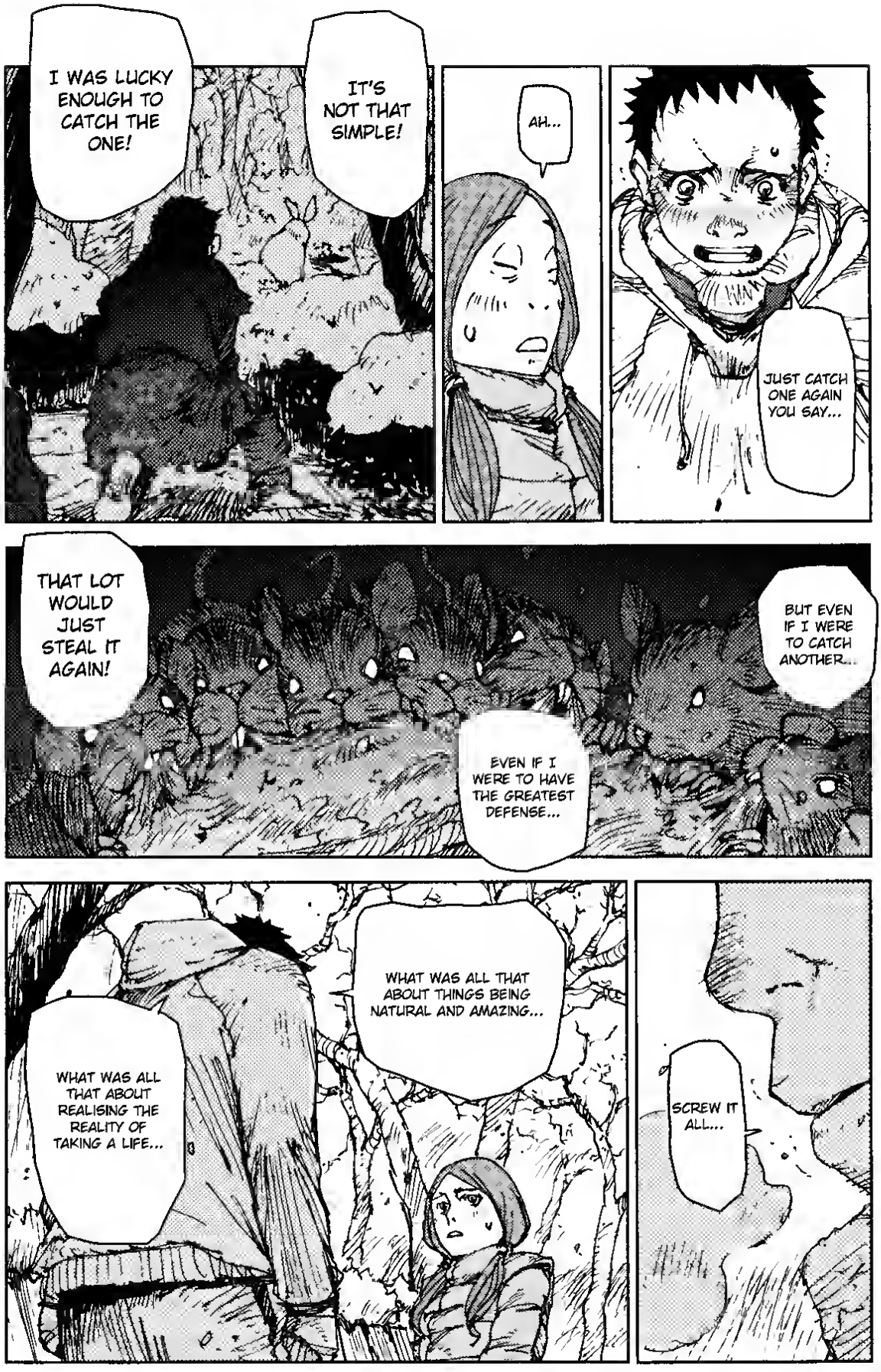
I... I WAS ONLY HELPING THE ENVIRONMENTAL CYCLE...
THEY'RE JUST RATS, YOU DON'T NEED TO BE SO MAD...

I'D TRIED TO PRESERVE IT... BUT THEY TOOK ALL THAT MEAT IN A SINGLE NIGHT!
I WORKED SO HARD TO GET THAT RABBIT.
TAKE A LOOK!
HOW MANY TIMES DID YOU FEED THEM FOR IT TO BE LIKE THIS?!
JUST HOW?!
IT'S NOT LIKE I COULD TELL YOU THAT...
YOU DON'T NEED TO YELL...
BUT THAT JUST WON'T CUT IT!
YOU MIGHT NOT KNOW HOW SCARY THEY ARE...
CAN'T YOU JUST CATCH ANOTHER RABBIT TO REPLACE THE ONE YOU LOST...
I MEAN YOU CAN SAY ALL THAT YET...


I WAS LUCKY ENOUGH TO CATCH THE ONE!
IT'S NOT THAT SIMPLE!
AH...
JUST CATCH ONE AGAIN YOU SAY...
THAT LOT WOULD JUST STEAL IT AGAIN!
EVEN IF I WERE TO HAVE THE GREATEST DEFENSE...
BUT EVEN IF I WERE TO CATCH ANOTHER...
WHAT WAS ALL THAT ABOUT REALISING THE REALITY OF TAKING A LIFE...
WHAT WAS ALL THAT ABOUT THINGS BEING NATURAL AND AMAZING...
SCREW IT ALL...

YOU'VE NO RIGHT TO TALK ABOUT ANY OF THAT AKIKO-SAN!
NO WAY...
N...
KUH...
...
THAT WAS TOO CRUEL... SATORU-KUN...
T... THAT WAS TOO CRUEL...

WHAT DOES SHE MEAN TOO CRUEL...
I'M THE ONE WHO WANTS TO CRY.
SHE DOESN'T GET A THING...
ABOUT HOW I MADE IT THIS FAR...
THOUGH MAYBE I DID SAY TOO MUCH...
...
WHERE COULD SHE HAVE GOTTEN TO...?

YEAH... I HAVE TO DO SOMETHING FIRST...
THOUGH EVEN IF I WERE TO CHASE AFTER HER...

THAT LOT WILL ALREADY HAVE THEIR SIGHTS ON THIS PLACE...